



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re Application of:**

Bernard D. Frutin

**Application No.:** 10/018,543

**Group Art Unit:** 3728

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**Examiner:** J.M. Mohandesi

**Title:** Device for Introducing a Predetermined Dose of Additive into a Packaged Liquid

Mail Stop Response – No Fee

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Sir:

This amendment and response is timely filed in response to the Office Action mailed May 12, 2004.